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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Brian Lo Bue, et al.  
Serial No.: 09/618,950  
Filing Date: July 19, 2000  
Confirmation No.: 2135  
Group Art Unit: 2448  
Examiner: Aaron N. Strange  
Title: *USB Encapsulation for Network Transmission*

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR REFUND

On December 22, 2009, Applicant filed a Notice of Appeal in order to protect its two-month response deadline to the September 22, 2009 Office Action filed in this matter due to the non-responsiveness of the Examiner in returning messages left by phone. Applicant paid the required Notice of Appeal fees for \$540 by way of Deposit Account No. 50-4889. On December 23, 2009, after seeing the Notice of Appeal, the Examiner phoned the Applicant, and made a recommendation for an Amendment.

Accordingly, Applicant has filed an Amendment per the Examiner's request and recommendation, and seeks relief in the form of a refund of the Notice of Appeal fees for \$540.

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Applicant respectfully requests that the refund amount be returned to Patent Capital Group's Deposit Account No. 50-4889 as a credit.

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Date: December 23, 2009

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